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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the period of time for response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 31, 2006, be extended for a period of 3 month(s) from April 31, 2006, to and including July 31, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$510.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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